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6. [REDACTED] LEGISLATION Bill Crosby, on the House Rules Committee, called to let me know that there was an outside chance that the Committee would discuss House oversight of intelligence on Tuesday, 27 July.

7. [REDACTED] LIAISON John Holstine, on the staff of the House International Relations Committee, called and asked whether the Agency knew anything about a conference in Havana, Cuba, last February involving the MPLA and various domestic groups. I told him that it sounded as if this conference would be off limits for the Agency if it primarily involved domestic groups. After checking with [REDACTED] OCI, I advised Holstine to check with the FBI. 25X

8. [REDACTED] LEGISLATION Called Hilda Schreiber, OMB, and provided her with some suggested language on the President's alternative legislation to the Watergate Reform Act of 1976. Specifically, I recommended a broad exemption for CIA employees in the financial disclosure section of the bill.

9. [REDACTED] BRIEFING Seth Tillman, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, called and said that Senators George McGovern (D., S. Dak.) and Charles Percy (R., Ill.), Chairman and Ranking Minority Member of the Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs Subcommittee, would like a briefing on arms suppliers to the Lebanese faction. [REDACTED] 25X 25X

[REDACTED] He said that Tuesday, 27 July at 3:00, or Thursday, 29 July at 9:45 would be a good time for a briefing. He also said that Bill Ashworth, also of the Committee staff, and himself would probably be the only staff people present.

10. [REDACTED] ADMINISTRATIVE Sam Hoskinson, NSC, called and said he had a question as to why the Report to the President was being routed through Philip Buchen, Counsel to the President. I told him that I had called Buchen in response to the President's letter on [REDACTED] program and Buchen expressed an interest in seeing the Report to the President. Hoskinson said he understood and thanked me for the explanation. 25X

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